



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Susumu NODA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2874

Application No.: 10/566,843

Examiner: J. RAHLL

Filed: February 2, 2006

Docket No.: 125714

For: TWO-DIMENSIONAL PHOTONIC CRYSTAL MULTIPLEXER/DEMULTIPLEXER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 17, 2007 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.